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VIA ELECTRONIC FILING

The Honorable Jocelyn G. Boyd
Chief Clerk / Administrator
Public Service Commission of South Carolina
101 Executive Center Drive, Suite 100
Columbia, SC 29210

RE: Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC's Application for Approval of Transfer and Sale of Hydroelectric Generation Facilities, Acceptance for Filing of a Power Purchase Agreement and an Accounting Order to Establish a Regulatory Asset

Dear Ms. Boyd:

Enclosed for filing on behalf of Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC ("DEC") is its Application for: (1) Approval of Transfer and Sale of Hydroelectric Generation Facilities; (2) Acceptance for Filing of a Power Purchase Agreement; and (3) an Accounting Order to Establish a Regulatory Asset. DEC provided the Application to the South Carolina Office of Regulatory Staff for its review in advance of this filing.

Please contact me if there are any questions.

Yours truly,

Frank R. Ellerbe, III

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Enclosure

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